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PUBLIC LAWS OF NORTH CAROLINA. PASSED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF 1868-'69.

[No 1.] An Act in regard to obtaining License to Practice Law in this State.

Section. 1. The General Assembly of practice in all the Courts of the State. Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its ratification.

Ratified the 7th day of December, A D.

[No 2.]
An Act to Provide for the Collection of Taxes in Carteret County for the year

Whereas, From unavoidable cause, the tax list of Carteret county for the year 1868 have not been placed in the hands of the sheriff of that county, as required by exi ting revenue laws; by reason whereof the county is without the means of raising revenue for the support of the poor, and for other county purposes, and for the payment of the taxes due the State; therefore. Section. 1. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact, That it shall be the duty of the county commisioners of Carteret county to cause a copy in alphabetical order of the list of taxables of said county. which have been returned by the list takers WILL GIVE PROMPT ATTEN- for State and county purposes at the rates tion to all Prefessional calls, and imposed by last general revenue laws of the hopes to merit a continuance of his State, and the order of the county court of Carteret county, made at February term, 1868, and delivered by said clerk to the sher

January, 1869. Medicine in all its branches respectfully Sec 2. The sheriff of said county, on receiving said copy shall proceed forthwith to of the provisions of this act. for the State taxes, at the time now prescribed, or which may hereafter be prescribed by law, for his settlement with said officer, for the taxes of the year 1869. And shall nay
the taxes collected for the poor, and for other county purposes, of said lists, on 1869, of the Superior Court of Carteret county, to such person or persons, as the said county commisioners may directs; and on failure of the said sheriff to pay the said county taxes as berein required, the said Superior Court at the Spring term, 1869, thereof, may, on motion of the said com-missioners, render judgment against the said sheriff and his sureties, (ten day's notice the amount of such taxes then due, and on failure of the said sheriff to pay the State taxes to the Treasurer as herein required, the Treasurer may recover the same in the

> Sec. 3. This act shall be in force from and alter its ratification. Ratified the 11th day of December, A. D.,

[No. 3.]

Whereas, doubts and uncertainty exists as o the true constructi n of the registra-

tion law of the State, Therefore, the General Assembly of North Carolina do enact, Section 1. That all persons heretofore

in this State under proclamation of the Governor or otherwise, if shall be the duty of the Judges holding said election in the several precints, to register, on application all persons who have not heretofore been registered, subject to all the requirements of ie general registration law of the State. Sec. 3. This act shall take effect from and

Ratified the 16th day of December, A. D.

[No 4,]

An Act to Amend the Charter of the Cheraw and Coalfields Rail Road Company. Section 1. The General Assembly of privilege of extending the same across the stock. Confficients Rail Road, as amended by the ury as other public taxes.

Legislature of 1560 '61 ratified or the 10th Sec. 6. In all meetings of stockholders of

sing of the Wilmington, Charlotte and Ruth- shall be elected by the stockholders as here-REFITEED AND REFURNISHED, criord Rail Road, and five additional years tofore. And every comfort added that will ensure the thereto to complete the extension hereby aupleasure of its gnests. The table supplied with thorized.

The best the market affords, and waited on by E. Sec. 3. That the name of the said Comany shall be, and he same is hereby changed from that of the "Cheraw and Coalfields

Rail Road Company," to that of the "Cher-raw and Salisbury Rail Road Company." Ratified the Sec. 4 Provided, further, That no discrim- 1868 ination shall be made in tariffs in favor of either North or South Carolina Rail Road, crossing or connecting with this Road. Sec. 5. This act shall be in force, from its ratification

An act to Provide for the Holding of Muncipal Elections in North Carolina. ection 1. The General Assembly of North Carolina de enact; That no person not actually residing within the limits of any town in this State shall be entitled to vote therein in any municipal election, or to

hold any municipal office in said town. Sec. 2. An actual residence of ten days within the corporate limits of any town in North Carolina do enact, That all applicants this State shall constitute any citzen of the for license to practice law, who have had United States a qualified voter therein license from the Sapreme Court of the State, in any municipal election, and such qualified to practice in the County Courts as they voter shall be eligible to any municipal ofheretofore existed, shall now be allowed to fice within any corporation; Provided, That said person is in other respect a qualified

Ratified the 16th day of December, 1863

[No. 6.] Confirm certain Acts of the General As- Treasury. sembly authorizing the issue of State Bonds Assembly to place the validity of such bonds other source.

beyond question; now, therefore, Section 1. The General Assembly of 1868. North Carolina do enact, That an act entitled "An act to amend the charter of the Williamsion and Tarboro' Railroad Company for the year 1863, to be made by their clerk, showing the amount of taxes due thereon, and an act entitled "An act to amend the rior Court in Craver County." charter of the Western North Carolina Railroad Company," ratified the 19th day of August, A. D., 1868, and all the provisions of the Superior Court be held for the counthereof be, and the same are bereby re-enacty of Craven, at New Berne, on the third ted and in all things confirmed, and they iff of said county, on or before the first day are hereby constituted a part of this act; January, 1869; and also to cause such an and all bonds of the State heretofore made criminal cases. abstract of the said lists as existing revenue and issued to and for the railroad companlaws require, to be transmitted to the Audi iss and for the purposes in, said acts specified, to at Kaleigh on or before the fifth day of and in pursuance of the same, are hereby ratified and made good to all intents and be summoned as provided by law for regular purposes as it issued under and in pursuance terms of the court.

collect the taxes due thereon , under the Sec. 2. That on the surrender of any of rules and regulations prescribed by existing the bonds heretofore issued under and by haws for the collections of such taxes; and virtue of any one of said acts, the Treasurer 1868. shall settle with the Treasurer of the State is hereby authorized and required to issue and substitute new bon is of the Sta e, of like tenor and date, executed in like manner titute bone's shall be is ned and purport to other county purposes, of said lists, on or before the first day of the Spring term, and the bonds so smendered shall be burnt Governor and Auditor, who shall cause to be made and sign a certificate specifying the number and dates of each bond so burnt and the acts under which the same were issned, and the Treasurer shall report such action and certificate to the General Assem-

Sec. 3. In order to provide for the payhaving been previously given to them, (for ment of the interest that may, from time to time, accrue upon such bonds so issued under said acts and the bonds to be issued and so substituted under this act, there shall be annually levied and collected a special tax manner now prescribed by law for the 10- of one-thirtieth of one per cent, on the taxcovers of State taxes from delinquent sher- able property of the State to pay the interest that has accrued and may, from time to time accrue on the bonds so issued and so to be issued to and for the said. Williamston and Tarboro' Railroad Company, and a like special tax shall be annual levied and collected of one-twentieth of one per cent. on ali taxable property of the State to pay the in-An act to Provide for the Registration of terest that has accrued and may, from time Voters in all Special Elections in this to time, accrue on the bonds so issued and

road Company. Sec 4. The Public Treasurer is hereby directed, whenever the President of the Chatham Racilroad Company shall certify that stituted and declared to be a body politic the grading of the road between Cheraw in and corporate, in fact and in law. by South Carelina and the Gulf or some other Raleigh and the Gulf has been let to conof the State, which subscription shall be paid by delivering to the President of said company coupon bonds of the State at par of the denomination of one thousand dollars.

The denomination of one thousand dollars, and use a common seal, alterable at their third Monday in January, A. D., 1869.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from and thirty years thereafter, dated October 1st, 1868, and payable in thirty years thereafter. bearing six per cent, interest, payable semi-annually, principal and interest payable in the city of New York, said bonds to be sign-sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded and ed by the Governor, countersigned by the Treasurer and sealed with the "The Great Seal of the State," and issued under the provissions of carpter 90, Revised Code; Pro- of way and all others purposes necessary to vided, that said bonds shall only be issued North Carolina do enact, That the charter on the surrender of a like amount of bonds of of the Cheraw and Coastelds Rail Road State heretofore issued under an act to amend ompany, br and the same is hereby so al- the charter of the Chatham Railroad compatered and amended as to authorize the said my, ratified the 15th day of August 1868. Company to continue the construction of On which surrender the same amount of State. their said Road, from such point on the bonds delivered by said company to the South Carolina line as may be selected by State under the said act shall be canceled, the said Company, to a point on the line of said subscripton shall be preferred stock and the Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford pay a dividend of six per cent before any Rail Road, at or near Wadestoro', with the dividend shall be declared on the other

track of the said Wilmington, Charlotte and Sec. 5. In order to provide for the pay-Rutherford Rail Road to such point on the ment of the interest which may accrue on prescribe. North Carolina Rail Road at or near Salis- the bonds issued as above mentioned, there bury, as may be selected by said Company. is hereby and shall be annually levied and S.c. 2. That the provise to an ordinance collected, a special tax of one twentieth of entitled an ordinance, to repeal the ninth one per cent on the taxable pro erty of the thousand dollars, whenever the said company tions, and restrictions as other collection of section of the charter of the Cheraw and State, collectable and payable into the Treas-

day of May, 1862, be and the same is here- said Company the State shall for and in beby repealed, and that the said Company be half of its stock be entitled to a vote equal allowed five years, from the ratification of to one third of that cast by individual stockthis ac', to complete their Road to the cros- holders, and all the officers of said Company Sec. 7. The capital stock of said Chatham

> Sec. 8. This act shall be in force from its Ratified the 18th day of December, A. D.,

Mills.

ter 71 of the Revised Code, in reference to the building of public water mills be and the exclusive privilege of conveying and to the sum of seven millions of dollars, and hundred miles, not exceeding twenty per County Commissioners.

Treasury.
Section 1. The General Assembly North Carolina do enact, To enable the has been granted to the Company thereof, rer shall cause to be made and issued cou- arranging local rates, for any distance under Public Treasurer, in advance of the collection and said Company shall have good right and pon bonds of the State, in sums of one thoution and return of public taxe to raise mon- title thereto, and shall have, hold and enjoy voter in the State.

Sec. 3. All acts or charters, or parts of the same inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This act shall go into effect from Sec. 4. This act shall be used for the purposes of the Road, and hall apply for the purposes of the Road, and long act of the same shall be used for the purpose of the Road, and long act of the same shall be used for the purpose of the Road, and long act of the same shall to exceed eight per cent., and on such terms ter that part of the Road which may be upas to time and place of payment, as may be agreed on, the time of payment not to be said owner, or those claiming under him, her said owner, or the said later than the day fixed by the law for the or them, shall not apply within two years Company as hereafter provided.

Sec. 2. As collateral security for the payto and for certain Railroad Companies." ment of the amount borrowed as above er compensation therefor; Provided, that which is west of Charlotte, called the West-Whereas, Doubts have been raised as to mentioned, the Public Treasurer is author-nothing herein contained shall affect the ern Division, the first portion of said amount the validity of bonds of the State issued to ized to pledge such an amount from the first rights of feme coverts or infants, until two expended to be expended in completing said and for certain railroad companies under acts moneys received from the tax list of 1869, years after the removal of their disabilities. whose titles are hereinafter recited; and and to pay the same from the first moneys whereas, it is the purpose of this General received into the Treasury, from this or any

Ratified the 21st day of December. A. D.

[No. 9]

rior Court in Craver County. Section 1. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact, That a special term

the third judicial district, for the trial of S.c, 2 That said court shall continue until the criminal calender is exhausted. Sec. 3. That a grand and petit jury shall

Sec. 4 This act shall take effect from and after'its ratification. Ratified the 21st day of D

[No. 10.] and in all respects similar, for such bonds so An Act in Relation to Municipal Elec-Section 1. The General Assembly North Carolina do enact, That the commissioners of the several corporated towns in by the Treasurer in the presence of the the State of North Carolina shall appoint three persons of their respected towns to hold their municipal elections for mayor and commissioners, and said inspectors shall make out two statements of the election so held and return one to the register of deeds of their county, and return the other to the Secretary of the town in which the election

Sec. 2. This act shall be in force from and after its passage. Ratified the 21st day of December, A. D.

[No. 11.] An Act to Incorporate the Silver Hill Rail Road Company.

Section 1. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact, That for the purpose of constructing a Railroad, to be used a map and survey shall be filed as provided and operated by steam, horse, or other mo-tive power from Silver Hill in Davidson County, to the nearest practicable and convenient point on the North CarclinaRailroad to be issued to and for and on account of the said, the Western North Carolina Railroad Company.

venient point on the Borda Carolina Country of Franklin Osgood, George C. Irwin, E. R. Bennett, J. B. Stafford, Tanddens Ford, Henroad Company. persons as they may associate with them, their successors and assigns are hereby conname and style of the Silver Hill Railroad point on the Chatham Railroad, between Company, with all the corporate powers and dated October 1st, 1868, and payable in pleasure, to pass such by-laws, rules and regulations to their government, not inconsistent with the laws of this State, as may Ratified the 26th shall have and enjoy all the rights of similar corporate bodies, under the laws of this State to survey and condemn land for right carry into effect the objects of said company, and shall generally have and possess all the rights, privilege and immunities, and be subject to the limitations and restrictions of other sheriffs herein named : O R Colgrove, corporate bodies under the laws of this

the capital stock of said company, the per-

pany shall be one hundred thousand dollars all arrears of taxes due them for the years and may be increased to three hundred 1866-'67, under the same rules and regulahundred dollars each,

Sec. 4. When the sum of ten thousand dollars shall have been subscribed to the oath to the same, a capital stock of said Company by solvent effect as a receipt. subscribers, a general meeting of the stockholders shall be called by the said commissioners, after due notice; and such general meeting, a majority of the Stock subscribed being present, either in person act shall be in force from and after its ratifi-or by proxy, shall have power to appoint a Board of Directors, and such other officers Ratified the 26th day of January, A. D., as they may desire, and to do and to perform 1869. all other acts and things neccessary for their organization as a Company, and to earry in-to effect the objects of this charter; and to continue its operations under the provisions

thereof. [No. 7.]

An Act in favor of Builders of Public shall be a resident of Davidson County, and Mills.
Section 1. The General Assembly of Director or acting agent of said Company Ratified the 16th day of December, A, D. North Carolina do enact, That all powers shall be deemed lawful notice of serving prospect.

North Carolina do enact, That the capital and not exceeding one hundred miles, not conferred upon the County Courts by Chapters.

Section 1. The General Assembly and not exceeding one hundred miles, not conferred upon the County Courts by Chapters.

North Carolina do enact, That the capital and not exceeding one hundred miles, not conferred upon the County Courts by Chapters.

So we shall be deemed lawful notice of serving prospection of the Wilmington, Charlotte and exceeding thirty per cent.; for any distance say again, secure a home.—Standard.

sage as they may determine. An Act to Authorize the Public Treasurer to be presumed that the land upon which said after provided. Supply Temporary Deficiencies in the Road may be constructed, together with the Sec. 2. For the payment of the subscripneccessary space not exceeding one hundred tion of said four millions of dollars, directed teet on each side of the centre of said Road in the foregoing section, the Public Treasu-shall operate to prevent said company from An Act entitled "An Act to Re-Enact and payment of public taxes into the next after the said part was finished, he, she, or they, shall be forever barred from recov-

Sec. 8 That this act shall be in force and have effect from and after its ratification. Ratified the 25st day of December, A. D.

(No. 12.)

An Act making an appropriation for the Deaf and Dumb and Blind Asylum. Section 1. The General Assembly North Carolina do enact, That the sum of thirty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the Deaf and Dumb and Blind Asy-Monday of January, next, by the Judge of lum, during the current fiscal year.

Sec. 2. That the Public Treasurer be authorized to pay the said amount of thirty thousand dollars to the treasurer of said asylum out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated. Sec. 3. That this act shall be in force

from and after its ratification. Ratified the 13th day of January, A. D., 1869.

(No. 13.) concerning the Government of counties,

Whereas, doubts have arisen in regard to the construction of sub-division fourteen of cerning the government of counties, approved August fourteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight; and the commissioners of counties in some parts of the State have been advised that it was their duty to cause new surveys of their counties to be made and fund for the payment of the principal money maps of the same filed with the Secretary of State before January first, eighteen hun of State before January first, eighteen hun dred and sixty-nine, contrary to the inten-tion of the framers of said act; therefore,

for the purpose of removing all doubts in the premises.
Section 1. The General Assembly North Carolina do enget That sub-division tourteen, of section eight, of said act shall not be so construed as to make an instrumental survey of their counties mendatory upon the commissioners, but such survey shall be made when, in the opinion of the commissioners, it is necessary for the proper defining of Township boundaries, at such

by said section. Ratified the 19th day of January, A. D.,

(No. 14) An Act to be entitled an Act to transfer cases from the docket of the late Crimi- urer, in like manner, the sum of forty thou-

nal Court in Craven county to the Supe- and dollars. rior Court of the same. Section 1. The General Assembly North Carolina do enact, That the Clerk of the Criminal Court in Craven county, abolished by act of General Assembly, ratified the 11th day of August, A. D., 1868, be, the 11th day of August, A. D., 1868, be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the cases on the docket of the same one hundred and twenty thousand dollars as at the time it was abolished to the Superior aforesaid, the Public Treasurer shall be au-

Ratified the 26th day of January, A. D.,

An Act to authorize W. D. Justice, former

years 1866-'67.

Section 1. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact, That W D Justice, former sheriff of Henderson county, and the Jones; E F Cox, Lenoir; T W Patterson, State.

Sec. 2. That for the purpose of creating he capital stock of said company, the perpose of creating he capital stock of said company, the perpose neural in the first section. sons named in the first section of this act W. E. Pearcy, Yancey; R. M. Stafford, Guilor a majority of them, may appoint commisford; K. H. Worthy, Moore; S. R. Bunting, sioners to open books of subscription at such New Hanover; Lewis Bond, Bertie; E H places and times as they may deem expe | Ray, Wake; Nelson Slough, Caberrus; Jno. dient, and under such rules as they may L Harris, Person; W A Murray, Alamance; David Lofton, Davidson, be, and they are hereby anthorized and empowered to collect all arrears of taxes due them for the years may direct, to be divided into shares of one taxes by virtue of the laws of the State; paid his tax and lost their receipt, may make oath to the same, and it shall have the same

> Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That the power and authority hereby granted shall cease with the year 1869. Sec. 3. Be it further enacted. That this

(No. 17.)

An act to amend the charter of the Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherf rd Rail road Company to provide for the completion of said road, and to secure to the State a representation in the company.

the same are hereby conferred upon the transporting over and along their Road that, in order to complete the Road, the cent.; and for any distance over two hun-County Commissioners.

Sec. 2. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified the 21st day of December, A. D.

Ratified the 21st day of December, A. D. ty days of the ratification of this act, to sue the company, or such officer or agent, in Sec. 7. That in the absence of any contract subscribe in behalf of the State, four nillions any Court having jurisdiction of the cause, with said Company in relation to the land of dollars to the capital stock of said Com- and recover his actual damages and costs, through which said road may pass, it shall pany upon the terms and conditions herein and in addition thereto shall recover the sum

sealed with the great seal of the State, and the value of the same may be ascertained

Sec. 3. That two millions of dollars of the subscription so made shall be applied Sec. 14. That this act shall be in force the subscription so made shall be applied road to Rutherfordton, and two millions of dollars of it shall be exclusively applied to that portion of the road east of Charlotte, called the Eastern Division.

Sec. 4. That the Directors of said Company, as provided for in the charter, shall be limited to the number of thirteen, of which number the Governor of the State shall ap-point seven, and the stockholders shall elect million of dollars of the bonds of the subscription authorized on the part of the State, there shall, within sixty days after such payment, be a meeting of the stockholders of the company and directors elected and appointed, as hereis provided for, and a reorganization of the company immediately effected which shall conform to the true intent free; it is here that man can claim and wor-

as amended by this act. Sec. 5. That the acceptance of this act by the stockholders shall in no wise affect any of the liabilities, contracts or obligations

erford Railroad Company. An Act to amend an Act entitled an Act the payment of the interest upon the bonds hereby authorized, and the principal at its maturity, an annual tax of one eighth of one per cent. is hereby imposed upon all the tax levied, conecret the State which shall be Treasury as other public taxes, and the sur-plus, after paying the interest, shall be invested in securities of the United States or other safe securities and kept as a sinking

> day upon which the first coupon of the bonds authorized to be issued by this act shall become due, the President of the above named Railroad company shall pay to the Public Treasurer, either in cash or in matured conpons of bon.is upon which the Public Treasurer is made to pay the interest under this act, the sum of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars; and on or before the day upon which the second coupon of the bonds authorized by this act shall become due, the President of the above named Railroad company shall pay, in like manner, the sum of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars; and on or before the day upon which the third coupon as aforesaid shall become due, the President above named shall pay to the Public Treasurer in like manner, the sum of eighty thousand dollars; and on or before the day upon which the fourth coupon as being committed by the institutions of the aforesaid shall become due, the President evil one, above named shall pay to the Public Treas-

Sec. 8. Provided further, That of the bonds authorized to be issued under this act, seven hundred and twenty thousand dollars collateral security for the faithful performthorized to deliver to said railroad company two hundred and forty thousand dollars of the above named seven hundred and twenty thousand dollars of bonds; and upon the payment of the succeeding amounts named in said section, the Public Treasurer is anthorized to deliver bonds to the amount of double the sum paid, until all said bonds are delivered to said railroad company: Provi-Sheriff of Henderson county, and other sheriffs to collect arrears of taxes for the years from the date of the first coupon of years from the date of the first coupon of the bonds adthorized in this act, the Public Treasurer shall be anthorized to issue to said railroad company an additional amount of bonds equal at their par value to the amount | We desire with all our heart to see her rice paid in cash by said company in behalt of from the ashes, and destruction of the late the State according to the provisions of sec-tion seven of this act, said bonds to be in all respects similar to those authorized to be

issued by this act.
Sec. 9. All dividends, that may be reafter accrue to the State upon the stock owned by the State in said railroad company, or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose, shall be applied exclusively to the payment of the interest on the bonds of the State authorized by this act.

Sec. 10. No di-crimination shall be made by the Wilmington, Charlotte and Ruther-tord Railroad company in rates of charges taxes by virtue of the laws of the State; for the carrying of pasengers or freights over any part of said road, but the rates paid his tax and lost their receipt, may make charged for freights and travel between intermediate points, and between either terminus and any intermediate point, shall be the same per mile as the rates charged for travel or for like classes and qualities of freights over the whole line of said read: Provided, That the said company, in addi-tion to the rates per mile charged for the carrying of passengers and freights over the whole line of said road, may, for the carry-ing of passengers and for freights of like class-es and qualities between intermediate points, and between either terminus and any intermediate points, and between either terminas

Sec. 6. That said Company shall have Rutherford Railroad Company be increased over one hundred and not exceeding two of fifty dollars as liquidation and settled

damages. Sec. 11. Nothing in the foregoing section twenty-five miles.

Sec. 13. That any laws, or clauses of

Ratified the 29th day of January, 1869.

The Situation.

The noblest and most elevated position that is occupied on the fact of the earth, is that of an American citizen. The citizen of the United States in contemplating his country, looks upon her mountains, hills, dales and vales, and views them occupied and cultivated by none but freemen. It is here six, and upon the acceptance of this act by the stockholders, and the payment of one prevail; it is here every man when meeting prevail; it is here every man when meeting his fellow-man can claim as his birth-right equality; it is here that ever man can claim and demand the right of trial by his peers ; it is here that every man can claim the liberty of speech; it is here that the press is and meaning of the charter of said company ship Almighty God according to the dictates of his own conscience; it is here that none can be put on trial for crime but by impeachment, or by presentment of a grand it is here in free America that none can be imprisoned, without due process of law, and the right of the writ of habeas corpus to inquired into the justice and cause of his detention. In a great country like this, stetching from ocean to ocean containing 2 000 tion of 38,000,000 freemen, every man can say and feel with a truth that "this is my

Possessing such a country, why should we not improve it? Should we not lay aside minor differences, and move forward to the work that God has set before us to dress and beautify the land He has given us? True patriotiism demands and urge

us to do so. Instead of pursuing the course with our duty and interests required, we find in this land of plenty partisan conflicts. Instead of improving our lands and homes, we find the great struggle to be, who shall rule the goverament? We find civil fends, contentions, and strife; we find one party building up, and another party pulling down; we hear from all quarters, of murders, and crimes of hideous black and diabolial malice

The country has for its President, the noble and sagacious Grant. This great and good man, fully appreciating the wants of the people, and being in full and complete accord with the grand Republican partyshall be retained by the Public Treasurer as the party of progress and improvement, and being elected by the people on the ruling sentiment of the canvass of 1868, "Let us have peace;" who having proved faithful heretofore to every trust confided in him, and being a man in whom we all have confidence, we are filled with hope, and look

forward to blessings to all good men. We love our whole nation, and we love our native State; we love her hills, her mountains, her vales, and her dales; we love everything that is her's, and we love of North Carolina is our hope; her prosperity is our prosperity, her fate is our fateunfortunate and mistaken war, and stand first, as she should, among the States of this great and glorious Union .- Pioneer.

SECURE A HOME. - It is the duty of every poor laboring man whether white or colored to buy himself a town lot or small piece of land if it is only one fourth of an acre, get first paid for, and then work to add the neoessary improvements; a little saved bere and little there will in due time procure you

Remember, that fifty dollars a year saved in rent will in a few years pay for your own you home, and the money it costs to move and shift about will, without any loss of furniture and time, pay the interest of a five hundred dollar mortgage against your property until you can pay it off-

You can all buy in that way; why do you not do it? There are inducements now being offered to all who desire to purchase a bome, and we advise you to avail yourand any intermediate point, charge the following and no other: For any distance under twenty-five miles, not exceeding fifty in and around Raleigh. If you fail, you are per cent.; for any distance over twenty-five and not exceeding fifty miles, not exceeding ful man is sure to do, you have a home and Section 1. The General Assembly of forty per cent.; for any distance over fifty have established a credit equal to another

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RUTHERFORDTON, N. C.

THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1869.

renew their subscriptions. We would it will end in such manner. would help us considerably.

strike some names from our books. We do not want to do this, and therefore, for the first time in twelve months, call upon them to remember the printer.

State Officers.

We were very glad to see that our General Assembly, by an act passed at or imaginary. the last session and ratified on the 17th Our voice is for peace, we have had day of April last, had defined "the pow- enough of wars and bloodshed, and would ers and duties of State officers."

are living differs very much in some re- American to the manor born, we would spects from former ones, and particularly see America hold up its head and defy in creating new offices and consolidating the powers of Europe in right nothing

two entirely new offices, the Superintend- Alabama claims were dishonerable, then ent of Public Instruction and of Public we say let us abide the decision of the Works, both of which are of great and Senate of the United States, and if Envital importance to the people of the gland wishes to make a fuss over it let State, whose duties as well as others had the responsibility rest with them not with to be defined by the General Assembly. We think our Constit ation a perfect model, especially as to State officers, there being a sufficient number to overlook and take care of all the varied interests of the State, each one acting in his proper

nate branches of the Government. Previous to the passage of the act referred to, the Executive was encumbered with many duties really belonging to other departments and so intended by the Constitution; but this could not be avoided for the reason that there had been no Legislative action upon the subject The people of our State should congratulate themselves for having an Executive who has performed his duties so well and so satisfactorily. He is now relieved of many of his former duties; they have passed into other hands-the hands of persons like himself, selected by the people and fresh from the people, and who, we believe in all things, will act for their prosperity and happiness.

The great losses occasioned by the late rebellion well nigh ruined our whole people; though it is pleasant to see the energy exhibited all over the good "old North State" to recuperate, and especially, that she intends to carry forward her works of internal improvements, so that Among them are many members of the there will be, ere long, an entire and free | Legislature. communication with all her eitizens from the mountains to the sea-shore. Intercommunication among the people of our State will be of greater advantage to them than the same is or would be to the induced many colored people to renounce people of any other State in the Union, most every kind of produce can be rais. A Kuklux gang planned his death, and picked the road leading from the hotel to because our climate is so varied that aled, unless it be, perhaps, the Tropical the depot. A colored man guided him

The West should be proud in being represented in the Executive Department head, and death seemed certain but by of the State by her noble son, Colonel C. L. Harris, Superintendent of Public life. He was charged with be ng a Radi-Works, who, according to the 97th secs eal; no other fault was found with him. tion of the act referred to shall bave charge of the State's interest in all Railroads, Canals, and other works of interbuildings which are the property of the

is entitled to vote."

the most important officers in the State 26 South Seventh St., Philadelphia. Government, for the act says, he "shull have charge of the State's interest in all Speech of Mr. Tyson .- We are indebted to Railroads, &c ," and likewise makes it "his Bryan Tyson, Esq., for a copy of his speech deduty to vote either in person or by proxy, livered before the Everette Lyceum. We are obliged to him for the same, but would much in behalf of the State, at all elections of rather he had sent us the other article mentioned directors, &c., at which the State is entitled in his letter.

Colonel Harris is not only a practical man, but he is a man of energy and abita please accept our thanks for public docus. The rails were connected to-day. The by: and we predict that the internal im- ments

carried forward as contemplated by the ROAD.—We are indebted to the President .G. M. Dodge, people, and that they will, from time to from Goldsboro' to Morchead City and time, be informed fully and completely return-to attend the consolidation meetof its progress.

·War.

have been taken for an alliance, offensive business prevents us. and defensive, between England, France, and Spain against the United States in view of the rejection of the Alabama

powers combined would attempt such a thing, for they well know that the United States united would not call it more than class, \$75. a "breakfast-spell' to whip them out, and they ought to further consider that Canada has been in the way of the United States for a number of years and it would to add this little slipe to uncle Sam's do. 1869 : minions. We also need a little more The term, for which many of our pa- suitable lands for figs, tobacco oranges &c, trons subscribed, will expire with the and Cuba is the very place, "just suited next number, and we would therefore re- to our minds," and should these powers the 3rd day of December, 1867, to the spectfully ask of them to come up and kick up a dust we have no doubt but that

also remind them that it costs us no It may be that this alliance has been small amount to furnish our paper to formed believing that there was a symthem, and while we don't feel inclined to pathy in the South for a form of governdun them for the small sum of two dol- ment like theirs, ruled over by a Empelars, we can't help intimating that their ro , King or Military Despot, true there several amounts, all added together, may be some who would like such thing; and we may be permitted to say that we We contemplate adopting the cash have heard men in this country use such system soon, and fear we shall have to expressions, but never a man who has fought or who would fight for any Government, those who advocate such measures are men, who fought none in the last war, and should there be another, will either find caves in the hills or who contemplate being excused from military service on account of some disability real

be glad that the sword might be turned The new Constitution under which we into the plowshare forever, but being an more nothing less. If to accept the In the Executive Department there are | treaty in regard to the settlement of the

RECONSTRUCTION IN GEORGIA.-That

reconstruction in Georgia is a failure, is plainly samped upon almost every thing done in that State The Cont --created much attention was expelling colored members from the Legislature, then from one end of the State to the other Ku Klux Klans commenced ordering Radicals to leave the State, then murders and assassinations became common and so far has it gone that the ropes of ministers of the Gospel, will not shield them (if loyal to the United States) from the engence of these men who so hate the Government of the United States, we regret to see this State of things existing in the South as it is bound to make its condition worse. The Government is bound to put it down in some way, and in doing so many good men will be made to suffer for the crimes, of these haters of the Government. The latest cutbreak we have seen in chronicled in the follows ing dispatch, taken from the Washington

ATLANTA, Ga., May 12 .- A large num ber of Republicans from all parts of the State are refugeeing in this city, believing that death is certain if they go home.

A desperate attempt was made at Vinton. Waynesboro', Burke county, last Sabbath to murder Rev. J. Spilman, presiding elder of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He had preached there, and allegiance to the Methodist Epi-copal Church South and rejoin the mother Church to the great event. across the fields, and a voluntary gnard of colored men accompanied him to the great efforts the colored people saved his

LIFE OF JEFFERSON DAVIS .-- We have received from the publishers advance sheet nal improvement, and also of all public of, "the life of Jefferson Davis with a secret history of the Southern Confederas Independance Hall with screaming whiscy, gathered behind the scenes at Rich- tles and hose carriage bells ringing. Joy The 99th section also says: "It shall mond," written by E. A. Pollard. We be his duty to vote either in person or have not had time to examine the same by proxy, in behalf of the State, at all but knowing the ability of the writer, and elections of Directors of Corporations or his opportunities for obtaining information of the news of the surrender of Lee's joint stock companies, at which the State tion. We have no doubt, but that he army when a similar scene was enacted. will make this a readable book, -- the He that runs may read. The Super- work will be sold entirely by subscripintendent of Public Works having now tion, and a live agent is wanted in every placed in his hands the power intended county, to canvass for the same. For by the creation of his office, and so dis- particulars as to territory, terms &c. cussed before the people, becomes one of address, National Publishing Company and probably in the West. It is entirely

HON, JOHN POOL .- This gentleman will

provement system of the State will be ATLANTIC AND NORTH CAROLINA RAIL. This is the way to India. of this road for a complimentary ticket "Sidney DILLON, ing at New Berne on the 2nd June we LONDON, May 12.-Initiatory steps on this occasion, but a pressure of other

The Pacific Railroad.

In this column will be found an in-

Pres de t's Proclamation.

America issues the following proclamas tion, in pursuance of the provisions of this nize a pledge not only for one countrybe agreeable to the notions of Americans act of Congress, approved April 10th,

> "I hereby designate the 6th day of July 1869, as the time for submitting the Constitution, passed by the Convention which met in Richmond, Virginia, on Tuesday, voters of said State, registered at the date of such submission, viz: July 6th, 1868 for ratification or rejection; and submit to a separate vote the fourth clause of section one, article third of such Constitution, which is in the following words: finsert the disqualification clause,] and I tution, which is in the words following: [insert test oath clause.] I direct the vote to be taken upon each of the above cited provisions alone and upon the other porions of the said Constitution in the forcluding the provisions above quoted, as 3d, 1869, shall express his judgement by voting "For the Constitution.

Each voter favoring the rejection of the Constitution including the provisions a separate ballot for or against either or Station, in Catawba county, to the Lime both of the provisions above quoted.

In testimony whereof I have hereunt of set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the City of Washington this 14th day of May, in the year of our Lord time to time, not exceeding in amount the | i | person or by proxy.) determine the ques-

nine, and of the Independance of the United States of America the 93rd. By the President :

U.S. GRANT. HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

PACIFFIC RAILROAD.

tious-Ringing of Bells and Other Demonstrations.

PROMONTORY SUMMIT, Utah May 10. To the Associated Press :- The last rail Pacific railroad is completed. The point of junction is 1,086 m les west of Misous which the property of said company, so conri river, and 690 miles cast of Sacramen-

LELAND STANFORD. Central Pacific Railroad. T. C. DURANT, SIDNEY DILLON, JOHN DUFF, Union Pacific Railroad. THE NEWS RECEIVED IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 10. The last spike in the Pacific railroad was driven to-day at five minutes past 3 o'clock P. M., New York time, Sau Francisco Chicago, St. Louis, New Orand Plaister Cove, the end of the cable, were connected with Promontory Point by Telegraph, and the hammer strokes the last spike were duly transmitted

according to arrangement. When the news was received in New York a hundred guns were fired in City Hall Park, and Mayor Hall forwarded a of Sa Francisco. A commemorative of the provisions of the said act, the Treascelebration had previously been held in Trinity Church, at which a telegra o forwarded by the Chamber of Commerce to ner, and in all respects similar, for such the Chamber in San Francisco was read, bends so surrendered; except that such new

After prayer and reading of portions of the Episcopal service, the organ pealed and chimes rung as the large congregas tion left the church. Flags on the city hall and on many public and private buildings were displayed all day in honor were issued, and the Treasurer shall re-

RINGING THE BELLS IN PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA, May 10. At 2:30 o'clock P. M. precisely, Philain a few minutes the bells in Independance Hall and the various fire stations were rung, drawing crowds into the streets the bells, and flags were immediately same shall accrue. displayed everywhere. A large number of steam fire engines ranged in front of

THE REJOICING AT CHICAGO. CHICAGO, May 10. The celebration of the completion of the great inter-ocean railroad connection to-day was the most successful affair of the kind that ever took place in Chicago, impromptu, and therefore almost every man, woman and child in the city did their part towards making it a success .-The procession was inique in appearance and immense in length, the lowest esti-The procession was inique in appearance mate putting it down at seven miles .-During the moving of the procession, Vice-President Colfax received the fol lowing dispatch :

PROMONTORY SUMMIT, Utah, May 10. prophecy of Benton is to-day a fact .-

"JOHN DUFF. "T. C. DURANT

This evening Vice-President Colfax, Lieut, Governor Bross and others adshould be pleased to avail ourselves, of dressed large audiences at Liberty Hall, the opportunity of visiting our sea board friends and were it possible, should do so history of our country. During the evening there was a general indulgence in fire-works, bonfires, illuminations, &c.

A meeting of the American free trade that the board of directors shall elect the teresting account of the completion of League of New York was held at Cooper president from the broad of directors: Prothis great work of internal improvement. Institute to-night, at which many of the vided, That the State shall be entitled to a The above dispatch savors of war, yet we very much doubt whether the three powers combined would attempt such a specific property of the store of the organization were present. Howard Potter called the wide attempt such a specific property of the individual stock in the meeting property of the individual stock in the tween six and seven days; and the fare assemblage to order, and David Dadley for first class passengers, \$175; second Field presided. Addresses were deliver. ed by Wm. C. Bryant and Ed. Atkinson,

and the following resolution was adopted: The President of the United States of great Pacific Railroad to-day, connecting New York and San Francisco, we recogone constitution and one destiny, but with a due regard to the revenue, for the freest sort of trade with all countries and ail

CDETERRECHAL.

An Act Amendatory to the Act to Incor-Hundred and Fifty-Five, and of all other istered in that county. Acts Amendatory Thereof.

Section 1. The General Assembly of North also submit to a separate vote the 7th Carolina do enact, That the act incorporsection of article three of the said Consti- sting the Western North Carolina Railroad Company, ratified on the fifteenth day of February, one thousand eigth hundred and fifty-five, and all other acts amendatory capital stock of the Western North Carolina lowing manner, viz: Each voter favors of said road shall be ten millions of doling the ratification of the Constitution ex lars, and the capital stock of the Eastern of the appropriation made for the eastern above quoted, shall express his judges ing eighty thousand dollars, shall be expen- of the acceptance, then this act shall go into Beds, in said county, said branch not to exceed five miles in length.

Sec. 2. That the board of directors of the western division of said road, at any time by order of the stockholders of sail division the payment of the same by bonds of the act. Western North Carolina Railroad Company, si n d by the President and con ersigned, by the Treasurer of the Western Division of Official Announcement -- Tele such bonds, and enhance the value of the egraphing the Mammer Strokes same, the said board of directors may mort-Rejoicing and Congratula. gage from ti e to time, all the property of said company, including the franchise and said wes ern civision, and no more, and it shall be sufficient to register such mortgage according in the county of Buncombe, according to law, to make the same effectual, as if the same were registered in every county in

veyed, is situate See 3. When the capital stock is paid for with land, the price allowed for such land be fixed at the value of the same in gold, before the Treasurer shall subscribe for stock on the part of the State, on account of such stock. And the President of said western division shall certify the solvency of all subscriptions whether payable in land or not,

as provided by law. Sec. 4. That an act entitled "an act to nend the charter of the Western North Carolina Railroad Company," ratified the nine-teenth day of August, one thou-and eight hundred and sixty-eight, and all the provisions thereof be, and the same is hereleans, New York, Bosto , Philade phia by re enacted, and in all things confirmed : and the said act is hereby constituted a part of this act; and all the bonds of the State, heretofore made and issued to and for and on account of said Railroad Company, and for the purpose therein specified, are hereby ratified and made good, to all intents and purposes, as if issued under and in pursuance

of the provisions of this act. Sec. 5. That on the surrender of the congratulatory message to the Mayor bonds heretofore issued under and by virtue neer is hereby authorized and required to issue and substitute new bonds of the State of like enor and date, executed in like manand an address delivered by Rev. Dr. and substituted bonds shall be issued and purport to be issued, under and by virtue of this net, and the bonds so surrendered shall be burnt by the Treasurer in the presence of to be made and signed a certificate specitying the numbers and dates of such bonds so burnt, and the act under which the same

port such action and cerificate to the General Assembly at its first session hereafter. Sec. 6. In order to provide for the pay ment of the interest upon such bonds, so is sned under said act, and the bonds to be isdalphia time, news was received of the sued and so substituted under this act, as railroad. Word was sent to the mayor may be issued under the provsions of this act, which has accrued and which may hereafter from time to time acer e, shall be ananally levied and collected as other taxes a ascertained the reason of the ringing of ed to the payment of such interest as the

Sec. 7. That in further subscription for the capital stock of the Western North Carolina Railroad Company by the counties, the county commissioners of any county shall, in all Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred respects, for their counties respectively, do and sixty nine. was expressed in every face at the com- all things and discharge all duties to that pletion of this great work of the country. end and purpose, that heretofore by law de The sudden flocking of the people to the volved upon the county courts in counties State House reminded one of the recep- proposing to subscribe, and subscribing for such capital stock, and a majority of the such time or times as they may from time to time designate, and a unjority of the ple of a county to subscribe for such capital sub-criptions for such capital stock heretofore made, are here in all things ratified. Sec. 8. That the county commissioners of any county having stock in said company, thirds of such fine to enure to he the ben efit be appointed by a majority of the commis-

> time and place of their meetings, and proceedings had and acts done, by stockholders, and the Directors of said Divi- apply to any person who may violate its sion in and at the organization of the same, are hereby in all things ratified and confirm-

Sec. 10. The stockholders of said compay, including the State, for the Eastern Rai

to elect all the directors and officers of the company and to prescribe the duties of each, except the board of directors shall elect the president from the board of directors; Pro-vided, That on all questions, and in all elections, the State shall be entitled to a prorepresentation of the individual stock in the

meeting; and a proxy appointed by the Gov-

ernor shall east the vote of the State. Sec. 11. The stockholders of said compa icluding the State for the Western Division, shall have the power and the right to elect in hre-works, bonnies, minimations, etc., all the directors and officers of the company, and to prescribe the duties of each, except

vidal stock in the meeting. Sec. 12. That said company shall have power and the right to take all such securis ies and mortgages of real and personal esate, as it may deem proper, to secure the "Resolved, That in the opening of the faithful performance of contracts, for the construction and repairs of said road, and e buildings and other things incident hereto, and all such securities and motgages eretofore taken are hereby ratified and con-

> Sec. 13. The board of directors of the Western Division of said Road shall have power, in their discretion, to fix the Western terminus of the main branch thereof, or the Tennessee or Georgia line Cherokee

Sec. 14. That it shall be sufficient to register the deeds. conveying the right of way depots and station grounds to the Wesporate the Western North Carolina tern Division of said county in the county Railroad Company, Ratified the fifteenth of Buncombe, and all such deeds and conveyday of February, One Thousand Eight ances not heretofore registered shall be reg

S.c. 15. That said Western North Carolina Railroad Company shall have power to make or discontinue branches of said road at will, and it may use the branches as will best promote its convenience : Provided, nevertheless. This section shall not confer any power to interfere with the branch road to thereof, be amended as follows, to wit: The Paint Rock, and no other branch shail be begun until the main 'runk to Ducktown and Railroad Company, for the Western Division | the branch to Paint Rock shall have been

Sec. 16. The acceptance of this amendcluding the provisions above quoted, as Division shall be increased to six and one-framed by the Constitution of December half millions of dollars, and the State shall North Carolina Railroad Company, and of subscribe for the stock of said company, as the acts heretofore passed amendatory therenow provided by law until the road shall of, shall be submit ed to the private stock be completed: Provided neverthele-s, That, holders of both Divisions jointly, and if a majority of all votes cast in a joint meeting division of said road, a sum of not exceed- of said private stockholders shall be in favor ment by voting "Against the Constitu- ded in the construction of a branch road effect and not before, and it shall be the tion." Each voter will 'e ailowed to east leading from a point at or near Catawba duty of the Presidents of the Eastern and Western Division to call a joint meeting of the privace Stockholders of their respective Divisions, at such time and place as may be agreed upon by said Presidents, and within ninety days from the ratification of this act and a majority of the voters in said joint shall have power to borrow aloney from meeting, (a quorum being present, either one thousand eight hundred and sixty sum of two millions of dollars, and to secure tion of the acceptance or rejection of this

> Sec. 17. If a quorum of private stock, (represented either in persons or by proxy.) shall not be present at the first meetsaid road, bearing interest at a rate not ing as provided in the sixteenth section greater than eight per cent per annum, pay- of this act, then it shall be lawful, and it able at such place, and maturing at such shall be the duty of the Presidents afore-time, not exceeding thirty years, as may be said, to call another meeting at some other time not exceeding thirty days and so on as often as neccessary until a quorum is

> Sec. 18. In the event the amendments proposed berein to the charter of the road bed, belonging or appertaining to the Western North Carolina Railroad Company, shall be accepted by the private stockindians, as berein pray dad, it dall be the Western Division of said road to notify the Governor of the State of said acceptance forthwith; and the Governor shall then immediately make proclamation thereof in three newspapers within the State; whereupon this act shall be in full force and ef-

> > Sec. 19. Provided, That on or before the lay upon which the first coupon of the onds authorized to be issued by this act. shall become due the President of the above named railroad company shall pay to the Public Treasurer, either in cash or matured coupons of bonds, upon which the Public Treasurer is made to pay the interest under this act, the sum of ninety thou-and dollars; and on or before the day upon which the second coupon of the bonds thorized by this act shall become due, the President of the above railroad company shall pay in like mapper the sum of ninety thousand dollars; and on or before the day upon which the third coupon as aforesaid shall become due, the President above named shall pay to the Public Treasurer in like manner the sum of sixty thousand dollars and on or before the day upon which the fourth coupon as aforesaid shall become due, the President above named shall pay to the public Treasurer in like manner, the sum of thirty thou and dollars.

Sec. 20. Provided, further, That onds authorized to be issued under this act, five hundred and forty thousand dolars shall be retained by the public Treasurer as collateral security for the faithful perormance of the conditions of the proceeding ection, and that upon the payment of the first ninety thousand dollars as aforesaid. the Governor and Auditor, who shall cause the Pu die Treasurer shall be authorized to deliver to said Rail Road Company one bon led and eighty thousand do fars of the above named five hundred and forty thousand dollars of bonds, and upon the payment of the succeeding amounts named in said section, the Public Treasurer is anthorized to deliver bonds to the amount of double the sum paid until all said bonds are delivered to said Rail Road Company; Provided, also. That at the expiration of driving of the last spike of the Pacific well as for that on all such other bonds as of two years from the date of the first conpon of the bond authorized in this net, the Publie treasurer shall be authorized to issue to said Rail Road Company, an additional amount of bonds, equal to their par value, to the amount paid in each by said Company in be were rung, drawing crowds into the streets under the impression that a general alarm all the taxab e property in the State; and half of the State, according to the provision of fire was being rung. The people soon the Treasurer shall apply the tax so collect. of section nineteen of this act, said bonds to be in all respects similar to these authorized to be issued by this act.

Sec. 21. All laws and clauses of laws is conflict with this act, are hereby repealed. Ratified the twenty-ninth day of January, [No. 18.]

An act to prohibit hunting on the Sab-

Sec. 1. The General Assembly of North county commissioners may act, and at Carolina do enact, That if any person or percons whomsoever shall be known to hunt of said Bridge. in this State on the Sabbath with a dog or votes cast upon any proposition to the peo- dogs, or shall be found off of their premises of letting. on the Sabbath, having with him or them a sufficient to authorize such shot gun, rifle or pistol, he or they shall be subject to indictment; and upon convic tion, shall pay a fine not to exceed fitty dollars at the discretion of the Court, twoshall appoint a proxy to represent such stock of the free public schools in the County of in the stockholders' meetings, said proxy to which such convict is a resident, the remainder to the informant Sec. 2. That upon failure of such convict

months as the Court, in its judgment, shall direct : Provided, That this act shall after March first, eighteen bucdred and sixty-

Ratified the 27th day of January, A. D.,

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General Agent for Western North Carolina MEDICAL EYAMINERS .- J. H. GILKEY, for McDowell; John M. Chaton, for Rutherford,

Abstract.

The following shows the indebtedness of Rutherford County. which is published in accordance with a provision of the Code of ivil Procedure requiring the same :

\$5171,72 Amount of Claims audited by the Board, Amount of Claims, Costs and Jail fees in McCurry case, 1600,00 Amount of Coupens outstanding 1 100,00

Amount due from Sheriff, Taxes,

\$17,171,72 2741,35

Total Indebtedness of County. \$14,427,37 The above gives as nearly the liabilities of the County as the ommissioners have been able to ascertain.

By order of the Board. may 12-4t. R. J. WILLIAMS, Clerk Ex-Officio.

Wanted.

10,000 Good seasoned White Oak Spokes, for two herse Apply immediately to J. B. CARPENTER & CO.

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To the Citizens of Polk County. ACH month hereafter, until further notice, on Sales Day and during the whole week n which it occurs, one of our firm will be in Columbus, thus giving our clients and others in Polk, who desiring it, a favorable opportunity to

Mr. Churchill will attend in June. Office in he Court House. CHURCHILL & WHITESIDE.

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THOMAS WILLIAMS D. N. DURHAM. Adm'rs of D. D. Durham, dec'd.

DISSOLUTION. HE firm of J. A. MILLER & CO., has been disolved by mutual consent; all persons indisolved by mutual consent; all persons in debted ty the late firm will please call and settle immediately, as we wish to wind up the business. J. A. MILLER,

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NOTICE.

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NOTICE.

MI he undersigned having been appointed to hold ad election for a Mayor, four Com ssioners, and Town Marshal will proceed to open and hold said election on Monday the 24th May 1869 in accordance with the following

THE undersigned will continue business at AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ELERCTIONS IN CER-TAIN TOWNS IN THIS STATE.

Whereas, Several incorporated towns within this State failed (from want of sufficient notice) to elect municipal officers on the first monday of January, eighteen hun dred and sixty-nine, under the provisions of an act ratified on the twenty-fouth day of July, Anno Domini, eighteen hundred and

SECTION 1. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enace. That in all cases where any City, Town, or incorporated Village failed to hold an election under the not et the General assembly recited in the preamble to this net, every such City, Town and incorporated Village be and is hereby anthorized to hold an election for municipal flicers on the fourth Monday in May

next. Sec. 2. That the County Commissiones is to be held by the provisions, of this net shall, on or before the second Monday in May, appoint a register of voters in each voters in sa h Town, in the manner and according to, and under the regulations prescribed by, the act entitled "An act to provide for the registration of voters," rated August twenty-hour, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, and also two electors for ach precinct who, with the Register, shall be judges of election and held the elections herein provided, and who shall return the vote cast to the sheriff of their County within three days after such election, who shall there upon issue certificates of election to

the officers duly elected therent. Sec. 2. That the manicipal offices elected nder the authority of this act shall hold their offices until the next regular election on the first Monday of January, Anno Domini, eighteen hundred and seventy. Sec. 4. That all municipal elections held

in the incorporated Towns of this State on he first Monday in January, Anno Domini ighteen hundred and sixto nine, are hereby egulized and made valid, Sec. 5. That this act shall take effect

from and after its ratification. Rrtified this 3d day of Febuary. A. D. J. B. CARPENTER;

E. MCARTHER, F. D. WOOD,



RUTHERFORDTON, N. C.

THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1869.

LOCAL AND STATE.

If a man can't any his shoemaker, is his sole in danger of being lost? ----See Advertisements of J. B. Carpenter & Co., in another column.

----George B. McClellan has been recommeaded to the Imperialist as the man for first Emperor.

The Imperialist copies considerably from the Goldsboro Messenger. This shows which way the wind blows.

The Asheville Proneer learns that Revenue officer J. H. Wild, was recently shot at, and slightly wounded in the right leg, by a dis-

FOUND .- A small key was found last Tuesday, between the Methodist and Presbyterian church | who wish to insure. This Company is es. The owner can get it by calling at this

The Tarboro Southerner has discovered that the Standard is not a respectable sheet. Strange! That this should have been hid

from the wise and prudent and revealed unto S-TAR-TLING NEWS .- Thousands of turpentime trees have recently been destroyed by fire,

in the vicinity of Newberne. The Times wants | Exchange. more trees planted around the burnt district, but we hope our friends down East will not re-pine. THE PRACTICAL PAINTER. -We have received the second and third numbers of a neat little pa per devoted to Painting. Persons wishing in-

formation on this subject, would do well to sub scribe for this paper. It is published monthly at 50 cents per year. Address Practical Painter, tinel. 57 Park Row, New York. ----

THE MARYVILLE REPUBLICAN. -The above pa per published at Maryville, Tennessee, is one of our valued exchanges. A true Republican, and being published by a colored gentleman, shows that the colored race can succeed as well as white men if they only possess energy and perseverance. Long may the Republican wave. -----

Asheville News tell us whether they knew all the time that the Imperialist, over which they made such an outery, was owned and edited by ignorant, not knowing about what they were be revived by the application of a cat aplasm writing? Come Gentlemen! Which, Fools or - Meridian Gaz tie.

FROST.-There was frost here this morning, without mistake. We saw it! As it was ald. slight, we hope crops were not greatly injured by it. Fruit, we understand, was a gone sucker any way. This is probably the latest frost that has fallen in this country for many years. In contrast, just think of their eating Watermelons &c., in the Eastern part of the State.

We are informed that Mrs. Eliza Johnson, widow of John Johnson, of Golden Valley Township, in this County, present d somebody (we don't know who) with an heir on Tuesday the 11th inst. The ceremony was again repeated on Thursday following. Will the Senior tell us whether they are pro-

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THE UNIVERSITY .- We notice from an advertisement in the Standard that a meeting of the Trustees of the University of North Carolina, is county, aged 28 years. called, to meet at Chap I mill on Thursday. 10th June next. Te following Trustees from Western North Carolina are appointed visitors: A. L. Davidson, Cherokee; R. M. Pearson, Yadkin; G. W. Logan, Rutherlord: J L. Hen-

ry, Buncombe; and W. P. Bynum, Lincoln.

----It has been intimated that the Poster of the Rutherford STAR, which was sent to most of the Post Offices in Western North Carolina, a few weeks ago, was done in New York, or some other large city. For the information of these doubting souls we will assure them that the work was done in this Office. If you do not believe it, make assurance doubly sure, and order a lot of Job Work, in any color or style, and if we cannot put it up equal to the work of any Office in North Carolina, we'll pay for lying.

---Pious.-An exchange tells a story of an old lady who always, at bre kfast, delivered herself in this wise: "Oh, Lord! Make us thankful for the food set before us. Mary, pass around the workmen in wood, will always be found corn-bread first, and the biscuit afterwards.

This reminds us of an anecdote told on Mr. , of this county. The evening prayer of the old gentleman, runs as follows: "Oh, Lord! be merciful and kind. Lucy, you lie before, and I'll get in behind. Amen."

401-Will the Vindicator man tell us how he felt when he found that the Sentinel had most miserably fooled him in regard to that sale of land by Sheriff Lee, of Wake county? Did you really believe, when you wrote that little item and commented upon it, that "carpet baggers and officials gobbled up the last acre?" Would you not have been glad if the people had never found out that it was a humbug, and your touch. ing exclamation-"Oh, Shame! Oh, Radicalism! Oh, oh! poor plundered people of North Carolina!" was only a theatrical farce gotten up for political effect.

---INCREASING POPULARITY OF THE STAR .- We are glad to state to our advertising friends that the STAR is now the best medium, for disseminating their advertisements, now published in the State. So popular has it become that our valuable exchange, the Union Flag, published at Jonesboro, Tenn.; in its issue of the 'th inst. appropriates the entire inside of our paper of the 22nd ult., -advertisements and all.

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To-day they're sick, tomorrow jobbing— Be they old or young," &c. Well, woman is an enigma; but let us remember-

When pa'n or sickness lays its heavy band Upon us, who like southing angels stand Beside us—in afflictions trying hour, What fairy hand turns off with magic power The heavy blow, but woman-fragile flower; But strongest, purest, truest friend to man. The Newberne Times man helped to eat

New Goods .- Dr. J. M. Craton has just received Givet him a call, and examine his stock for your-

3110115 See Card of Messrs. Churchill & Whiteside announcing the opening of an office in Columbus, one week in each

month, MENY WAX YAWSADRE 101

See in another column an Abstract of the indebtedness of this county

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--A PUNNING Cat-EGORY. - A Beltimore court has decided that cats are property .-

Presume they come in under the head of new-sical instruments. - Southern Sentinel Come, friend "Mid," you must de better than that. We consider it a most puss i llanimous pun .- Meridian Gazette.

If friend Allen owill remove that cat-aract he might perceive a pint .- Southern Sea

"Mid" when we see you again the cater-Act will appear in "Scene First"-or wice worse -cat-o'ninetails will bear a conspicuous par-- Heridian Gazette.

Prefer to take a cocktail 1 But Requie-scat in peace!

-Southern Sentinel The alove is about as horrible a cat asrophe as ever occurred in domains of wit-Vickburg Herald.

perpetrating the above, the Herall wittis Virginians and Tennesseeans, or were they really was attacked by cat-alepsy and could only The last link in the above cat-enarian cat.

> alogue of cat-egorical punning, we conceive to be decidely cat echristal .- Vicksurg Ler-The editors quoted above seem to be so

> verely afficied with out archal fever ; overdose their readers with cat sup seasoning-Scat! - Canton, Mississippi. Mail.

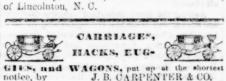
Home again, from a fur-eign shore, Be still my mews! Don't make such jokes a eat-paw to fill your pures - Wil. Post.

The above purr-formance is very a mews-ing. But, if you puss-ess a cal-ty of brains, paws before en-tail-ing another such cat terwaul upon your readers.

---MARRIED,

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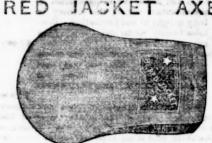
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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.) POLK COUNTY. SUPERIOR COURT OF LAW, SPRING TERM, 1869.

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A Petition for sale of land for partition, having been filed my office and oath having been made that John Blackwell and wife Susan. of the State of North Carolina, it is therefore orered that publication be made in the Rother. ord STAR for six weeks notifying the said John Blackwell and Polly Warbey that they be and appear at the next term of this court, to be held the county of Polk at the court house in next door to Dewey's Bank, Charlotte, M. C. Columbus on the 2nd Monday in September next and answer said petition or judgment pro confesso will be taken as to them.

Witness, R. S. Abrams, clerk of said court at

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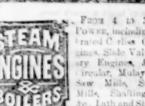
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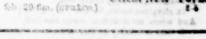
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O Lord, who reignest far above The cloudless space—the twinkling star, Incline Thine Allwise ear, in love, To hear'an humble sinner's prayer.

The cloud capp'd hills, the crystal stream. The ocean wave, the thunder's ros The dismal raging of the storm, Are emblems of Thy mighty power

My sins are like a mountain high, My guilty heart a desert bare, In which the budding leaflets die And wither in the sultry air.

O hear, and bid my mind repose, My downcast heart revive, I pray, And ere approaching life shall close Prepare me foi a better day.

And while upon my bended knee, The thoughts of Jesus' sufferings come, I raise my rintul tongue to Thee, And murmur, "Lord Thy will be done."

Let angels guard my lowly bed, In sleepless hours, be Thou my guide And when my soul from earth has fled, O take me safely to Thy side.

DEAR HUSBANT, COMF HOME. THE WIFE AT HOME TO HER HUSBAND IN THE LEGISLATURE.

Husband, dear husband, come home to me now From the city and State House so warm, Tis lonely without you, why do you not come And see to the things on the farm? You told me, when you were elected last fall, If I would but once let you go, You'd surely return before April was past, And I realy 'twould be so.

> Come home! Come home! Come home! Dear Lusband, kind husband, come home

Husband, dear husband, come home to me Come home ere the spring time is through; The old brindle cow has got a white call, And the young lambs are bleating for you The hens have been setting a fortnight or more They soon will be off with their broods. The old speckled turkey has stolen her nest Away in the brakes of the woods. Come home. &c.

Husband, dear husband, come home to me now The garden neeks spading for peas, The boys should be picking up stones in the lo And you should be trimming the trees. When will you get through with bills and resolves Stop talking of license and rum, Of railroads and tunnels, and other such things, And tend to your business at home?

Come home, &c. Husband, dear husband, don't write to me more Of the theatre, lobby and club, Nor dinners you've eaten at Parker's and Young's

But hurry away from the Hub. Yes, hurry back home, your Betsy is sad, Her heart is so honest and true; All winter she's slept in the bedroom alone— And say, dearest husband, have you? Come home, &c.

Husband, dear husband, come home to me now Come home while the birds sing in May; And let not the smiles in the gallery there Distract you or tempt you to stay. The voice of your Betsy is calling you now-Come home, for you know what it means;

I'm getting quite nervous about you-come home

And we will have cowslips for greens! Come home! Come home! Come home! Dear husband, kind husband, come home BETSY JANE.

BELEOTED.

Millie-The Story of a Beautiful Young Widow who Advertised for a Husband.

In the latter part of March there appeared in one of the New York papers the following advertisement :

"A young widow nineteen years of age, of high standing in society, and having a large fortune in her own right, wishes to correspond with a thoroughly educated young man of equal standing in society with a view to matrimony. Photographs exchanged. The reason for resorting to this method to obtain a husband will be satisfactorily explained. Address Millie Stanton, Station D., New York city."

Among the persons who answered this advertisement was a dashing young gentleman who does not live more than a league from this city. His letter was very brief, but sufficiently ample in its language to give the young widow of nineteen an idea of what sort of a fellow he was. The young gentleman, (whose name is withheld at special request) enclosed his "picture," and as it was a very correct presentment of a rather handsome man, it seemed to make quick impression on the heart of his fair correspondent. A few days later the young gentleman received an answer to his letter.

"Dear Sir .- I have examined yours, and answer at my earliest leisure. I am favorably impressed with your face, as shown in your photograph, and send you mine, which I hope will not displease you. It, after examining my likeness, you think that you might learn to love me, I shall be pleased to meet you on Tuesday evening next at No.—

Respectfully, "MILLIE,

"P. S. Inquire for Mrs. DeForest, and don't call before 8 o'clock.

This missive was written in a delicate hand, which showed culture, and caused the young gentleman who had commenced the correspondence by way of a joke to feel a little serious over the matter .-The picture of the young widow was the likeness of an exceedingly handsome woman, whose face wore an expression which showed that the pride of birth and fortune was in the blood that gave to it the resy flush of beauty. Truth makes it pecessary for us to state that the young gentleman at once fell in love with the face, and resolved to go down to New York on the following Tuesday and have an interview with its owner. He there bard. fore dropped "Millie" a line announcing his intention of calling, and expressed the hope that she would not disappoint him by her absence from home at the time she

had appointed for an interview . Between the time of the posting of this letter and the visit of our young gentleman to New York, nothing occurred be-

youd the reception of a second missive assuring him the "young widow" would raying in his "best" he went to New emphatically. York, and at 8 o'clock on the Tuesday evening appointed he walked up the brown-stone steps of a brown-stoned front on Eighth street, and pulled the door-bell, This was answered by a servant, who ushered him into the reception room. He was informed that Mrs. DeForest was "in," upon which he handed the servant his card and requested its immediate delivery to the "young widow.' Shortly after the parlor door-opened and a splendidly dressed lady entered the room and at once approached the young man, seized him by the hand, and expressed her pleas-

ure at meeting him. the discovery of one of the handsome t ever beheld. He looked, and as he gazed reason in that." his heart was smitten. She gazed, and as she looked she seemed to be delighted | chair. with the manly form before her. After some ordinary talk about the weather, Lent, and the opera, the young widow suddenly changing the subject, said: "I suppose we may as well talk about the matter which we have met to consider,"

As she said this she looked searchingly yet tenderly, into the eyes of the young gentleman, and after a moment's pause, grily. said: "I presume you would like to know who I am, and why I advertised for a life partner, wouldn't you?" "Certainly," replied our young gentleman, "I have no objections,"

At this Mrs. DeForest-the dashing young widow in want of a husband-les gan a narrative which it is not necessary ly left the room. here to give at length. She told how she beauty talk that our young gentleman people think." found it difficult to "get in a single word, "My wife has made my fortune," said edgeways," as the saying goes.—She con- a gentleman of great possessions, by her sale of Tickets,—of which due notice will be tinued her story, which was one of mar- thrift and prudence, and cheerfulness when given, at least one week before the day of drawvelous adventure considering that the nar- I was just beginning." rator was so young and so beautiful, and had begun to explain her pedigree, when man's voice in the hallway outside said, Where's Annie?" At the same time gentleman opened the door and enter ed the parlor. "Lock 'ere," said he, addressing the dashing young widow, "you go up stairs. Up to your old tricks again see. I supposed you were, and that's

the reason why I watched you." This interruption broke the susceptible heart of the young gentleman like a ter rible calamnity, and the effect was greatly heightened when the young widow commenced to pour out a volume of epis thets on the intruder quite as inelegant as they were profane. Here was a nice fix for our adventurous young gentleman .-He turned pale with surprise; and, inddressing the gentleman, said, "but I hope you will allow me to explain." "Oh, that's all right," said the stranger: "I'll fix that with you as soon as I get this un-

fortunate young woman to her room." With considerable difficulty the young widow was removed, and when the gentleman returned "our hero" was informed that the woman was crazy, and that a onstant watch had to be kept over her to revent her from having similar interviews with strangers. Our young gentleman begged a thousand pardons, and was shown the door. He at once returned home, and vows that he will never be caught in the matrimonial advertisement trap again.

WITHIN YOUR MEANS.

"This is pleasant!" exclaimed a young husband, taking his seat in the rocking This, like his own, was brief, but read as chair as the supper things were removed The fire glowing in the grate, revealed a pretty and neatly furnished sitting-room with all the appliances of comfort. The fatiguing business of the day was over. and he sat enjoying what he had all day been anticipating, the delight of his own fireside. His pretty wife, Esther, took her work and sat down by the table,

"It is pleasant to have a home of one's own, he again said, taking a satisfactory survey of his little quarters. The cold rain beat against the windows, and he thought he felt really grateful for all his present comforts.

"Now, if we only had a piano," exclaimed his wife.

"Give me the music of your own sweet voice before all pianos in creation," he observed, complimentarily; but he felt a certain secret disrppointment that his wife's thankfulness did not chime with

"Well, we want one for our friends," exclaimed the wife.

"Let our friends come to see us, and not to hear a piano," exclaimed the hus-

"But, George, everybody has a piano, out seeing a piano," persisted his wife.

on one, and I don't want to hear it." our room looks so naked without one." "I think it looks just right,"

"I think it looks very naked-we want be at home at the time designated. Ar a piano shockingly," protested Esther,

The husband rocked violently. "Your lamp smokes, my dear," said he after a long pause.

"When are you agoing to get a cam-

phene lamp? I have told you a dozen

times how much we need one," said Esth-

"These are very pretty lamps-I never can see by a campbene lamp, said her husband." "These lamps are the pretti-

est of the kind I ever saw." "But, George, I do not think our room is complete without a camphene lamp," said Esther, sharply,. "They are so fash ionable! Why, the Morgans and the Mil-A critical examination of the young lers, and many others I might mention, woman's features and "style" resulted in all have them; I am sure we ought to." "We ought not to take pattern by oth

types of beauty that our gentleman bad er people's expenses and I don't see any

The husband moved uneasily in his "We want to live as well as others,"

said Esther. "We want to live within our means,

Esther," exclaimed George. "I am sure you can afford it as well as the Morgans and Millers and Thorns; we do not wish to appear mean."

"Mean! I am not mean!" he gried an-

"Then we do not wish to appear so," said his wife. "To complete this room and make it look like other reople's, we want a piano and camphene lamp,"

"We want-we want!" muttered the husband; "there's no satisfying woman's want, do what you may," and he abrupt-

How many husbands are in a similar married, how her husband died while they dilema? How many houses and huswere traveling in Europe, how he left her bands are rendered uncomfortable by the an immense property valued at nearly a constant dissatisfaction of a wife with presmillion of dollars, how a hundred young ent comforts and present provisions ?fellows had offered her their hands and How many bright prospects for business hearts, now she had resolved to marry a have ended in bankruptey and ruin in stranger if she could find one "suited to order to satisfy this secret bankering after her mind," how her relatives had consen- fashionable necessaries! Could the real ted to this course, and how constant her cause of many failures be known, it would efforts would be to make the man happy be found to result from useless expendiwith whom she might enter the bands of tures at home-expenses to answer the wedlock. So rapidly did the strange demands of fashion and "what will the

"And mine has lost my fortune," answered his companion, "by useless extravagance and repining when it was doing

What a world does this open to the enfluences which a wife possesses over the future prosperity of her family! Let the wife know Ler influence, and try to use it wisely and well.

Be satisfied to commence on a small scale. It is too common for young house keepers to begin where their mothers ended. Buy all that is necessary to work skillfully with; adorn your house with all that will make it comfortable. Do not look at richer homes, and covet their costly furniture. If secret dissatisfaction is ready to spring up, go a step further, and visit the homes of the suffering poor; behold dark, cheerless apartments, insuffleient clotheing and absence of all the comforts and refinements of social life and then return to your own with a joyful spirit. You will then be prepared to meet your husband with a grateful heart. and be ready to appreciate the toil of selfdenial which he has endured in the business world to surround you with the des lights of home; and you will be ready to co-operate cheerfully with him in so arranging your expenses that his mind will not be consiantly harrassed with fears lest his family expenses may encroach upon public payments.

Be independent; a young house-keeper never needed greater moral courage than she does now to resist the arrogance of fashion. Do not let A's and B's decide what you must have, neither let them hold the strings of your purse. You know best what you can and ought to afford. It matters little what people think, provided you are to yourself and family.

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The dwelling of brick, is 42x35 [with conical metal root, and two Franklin rods. In the basement is the kitchen, about 20 feet square and the dining room 18x32 feet, and two pantries well fitted up. On the middle floor there are two large rooms, with fire places, and fine variegated marble mantles and a spacious hall and open room for enjoying the summer breezes. In the third story are two large and oue small dormitory, all with fire places, and a large passage with cases to: wardrobe. In the attic story is a small dormitory, with siairs to scuttle in the roof.

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